



LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL
LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING
Council Meeting Room – Upper Level
Tuesday, August 18, 2020
6:00 p.m.

1. Mayor's Welcome

STATEMENT OF PROPER NOTICE: "Adequate notice of this meeting of the Lawrence Township Council being held on Tuesday, August 18, 2020, has been provided through the posting of the annual meeting schedule of said Council in accordance with Section 13 of the Open Public Meetings Act." Said Notice was forwarded to The Trentonian, The Times and The Ledger on December 19, 2019.

2. Inspiration

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. Roll Call

5. Special Proclamations, Recognitions and Presentations

6. Public Participation (5-minute limitation per speaker) **

7. Review and Revision of the Agenda

8. Adoption of Minutes of Previous Meetings

- A. Regular Meeting – July 23, 2020
- B. Closed Session – July 23, 2020

9. Awarding and/or Rejecting of Bids*

- A. #241 Authorizing Awarding a Contract for Bid No. 20-13- 2020 Road Improvement Program – Phase 1

- B. #242 Authorizing Awarding a Contract for Bid No. 20-12 Resurfacing of Denow Road
- C. #243 Authorizing Awarding a Contract for the New Jersey Department of Transportation Bikeway Grant Program Keefe Road Connector Trail Project
- D. #245 Authorizing Awarding a Contract for Masonry Repairs to the Lawrence Township Municipal Building

10. Introduction of Ordinances**

- A. Ordinance No. 2365-20 - AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 435 OF THE LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATIVE CODE ENTITLED 'MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC'

11. Adoption of Ordinances*

- A. Ordinance No. 2364-20 - AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2341-19 SALARY ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LAWRENCE-UNCLASSIFIED AND/OR EXEMPT, SEASONAL, EMERGENCY (NON-UNION) EMPLOYEES FOR 2018-2019

12. Manager's Report

13. Attorney's Report

14. Clerk's Report

15. Unfinished Business

16. New Business

17. Public Participation (3-minute limitation per speaker) **

18. Resolutions

A. Bond Acceptance

B. Bond Release

- 1) #251 Authorizing the Full Release of Performance Bond for Berks-Cohen Associates, SP-09/14
- 2) #252 Authorizing the Full Release of Soil Disturbance Bond for Berks-Cohen Associates, SP-09/14

- 3) #253 Authorizing the Full Release of Soil Disturbance Bond for First Baptist Church of Eggert Crossing, SP-11/16
- 4) #254 Authorizing the Full Release of Performance Bond for First Baptist Church of Eggert Crossing, SP-11/16
- 5) #255 Authorizing the Full Release of Maintenance Bond for BMS Princeton Pike Project, SP-02/14

C. Escrow Release

D. Refunds

- 1) #246 Authorizing the Refund of Tax Overpayments
- 2) #250 Authorizing the Refund of Recreation Fees

E. Special Items of Revenue

F. Professional Services Agreements

- 1) #234 Authorizing a Professional Services Agreement for Veterans Park Drainage Improvements
- 2) #235 Authorizing Amending the Professional Services Agreement for the Keefe Road Connector Trail
- 3) #238 Authorizing a Professional Services Agreement for the Cold Soil Road Improvement Project
- 4) #239 Authorizing a Professional Services Agreement for the Denow Road Improvement Project
- 5) #240 Authorizing Amending Professional Services for Inspection Services for Miscellaneous Engineering Projects
- 6) #249 Authorizing Amending the Professional Services Agreement for IT Consultant Services
- 7) #256 Authorizing Amending the Professional Services Agreement for Planning Consultant to the Zoning Board
- 8) #257 Authorizing Amending the Professional Services Agreement for Planning Consultant to the Planning Board

G. Grants

H. Miscellaneous

- 1) #231 Authorizing Certification that the Council has Reviewed, at a Minimum, the Comments and Recommendations of the 2019 Municipal Audit
- 2) #232 Authorizing the Closing of a Portion of Lower Merion Place for a Neighborhood Block Party
- 3) #233 Authorizing an Appointment to the Environmental and Green Advisory Committee

- 4) **#236 Authorizing Requesting Permission from the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to Approve a Dedication by Rider of Revenues Received for the Township Sustainability Fund**
- 5) **#237 Authorizing Requesting Permission from the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to Approve a Dedication by Rider of Revenues Received for the Township Green Acres Fund**
- 6) **#244 Authorizing the Partial Closing of Springwood Drive for a Neighborhood Block Party**
- 7) **#247 Authorizing the Partial Closing of Catbird Court/Wexford Drive For a Neighborhood Block Party**
- 8) **#248 Authorizing an Appointment to the Trails, Open Space and Stewardship Advisory Committee**
- 9) **#258 Authorizing the Purchase of One All Terrain Utility Vehicle from a State Contract Vendor**
- 10) **#259 Authorizing a Closed Session of Council Immediately Following the Regular Meeting to Discuss Mt. Laurel Issues and Trenton Water Works Litigation**

19. Council Initiatives & Liaison Reports

20. Written Communications

21. Executive Session (if authorized)

22. Adjournment

Next Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

*with public participation

**no public participation can be made regarding Ordinance Introduction